

November 21, 2014

Position Vacancy Listing

Return completed City Employment Application to: City of Kannapolis; Human Resources

P.O. Box 1199

Kannapolis, NC 28082-1199

WEBSITE: www.cityofkannapolis.com

Position Title: Reserve P/T Firefighter

Department: Fire

Starting Salary: \$10.22 per hour

Hours of Work: Various times during 24-hr. shift

Job Responsibilities: Protects life and property by performing firefighting, rescue, emergency medical aid, hazardous materials, and fire prevention duties.

Job Requirements, Education, Special Skills, and/or Training: Ability to learn technical firefighting principles and techniques and principles of hydraulics as applied to fire suppression and the possession of mechanical aptitude. Ability to perform strenuous or peak physical effort during emergency, training or station maintenance activities for prolonged periods of time under conditions of extreme heights, intense heat, cold or smoke. Ability to act effectively in emergency and stressful situations. Ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions. Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with fellow employees and the general public. Work is performed under emergency conditions and frequently involves considerable personal hazards. This work may require exertion in excess of 100 pounds occasionally, in excess of 50 pounds of force frequently and in excess of 20 pounds of force constantly to move objects. Work requires climbing, balancing, stooping, crouching, crawling, reaching, standing, walking, pushing, pulling, lifting, grasping and feeling. Vocal communication is required for conveying detailed or important instructions to others accurately, loudly, or quickly. Hearing is required to perceive information at normal spoken word levels. Visual acuity is required for depth perception, color perception, night vision, peripheral vision, visual inspection involving small defects and/or small parts, operation of machines, determining the accuracy and thoroughness of work, and observing general surroundings and activities. The worker is subject to inside and outside environmental conditions; extreme cold, extreme heat, noise, vibration, hazards, atmospheric conditions, oils, and wearing a self-contained breathing apparatus. The worker may be exposed to blood borne pathogens and may be required to wear specialized personal protective equipment.

Special Requirements: Must be 18 years or older at the time of employment and possess a high school diploma or GED equivalent. May be employed by a fire department of a city or town with a population less than the City of Kannapolis. Must possess a valid NC Class C driver's license without record of suspension or revocation in any state. No disqualifying criminal history. Must be a U.S. citizen. Must be able to read and write the English language. Must be temperate and of good moral character. Must possess a residential telephone service. NC EMT Certification and NC Firefighter II Certification are preferred but not required.

Closing Date: Tuesday, December 9th, 2014 by 5 PM.

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